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PRESIDENT IS GREETED BY MANY IN MICHIGAN

MANY CANADIANS CROSS LINE
AND GREET NATION'S
PRESIDENT.

SAULT STE MARIE, Mich., Sept. 20.—In the presence of a cheering throng, President William Howard Taft was formally welcomed to Sault Ste Marie as he alighted from the train here yesterday at noon. Such a crowd had never been seen in the Soo before, and many had come by special trains from great distances.

A noticeable element in the assembly was the great number of Canadians, who had crossed from the other side of the St. Mary's river, to see, as many of them humorously put it, "the man who was going to annex Canada." He produced a profound impression on them with his genial smile and his hearty handshake as he said:

"A gentleman from Canada, glad to meet you, sir!"

President Talks Politics.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 20.—President Taft plunged into the political phase of his long trip through the west yesterday and delivered one set speech which may have a determining effect on the future.

He chose the trusts for his first speech, outlining his position regarding this issue. In his second speech he answered the charge that he had used patronage to further his own ends.

He challenged the men who made the charge to come forward and join him in an extension of civil service to all appointive offices under the government.

Taft's free use of the words, "I challenge" gave a campaign ring to the utterances which seemed to delight his hearers.

The president announced unqualified opposition to any amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law designed to overthrow the "rule of reason" laid down by the supreme court in the oil and tobacco decisions and challenged Bryan and all other critics of the court to cite a restraint in trade which they would condemn.

President Taft said the department of justice is conducting an investigation into corporations, suspected of operating in defiance of the anti-trust laws and added that in the statute as interpreted by the supreme court, could be found sufficient cause for the breaking up of all illegal combinations.

EXTRA PROGRAM AT THE BUTLER THIS EVENING

Tonight at the Butler theater a benefit for two sick miners given by the Miners' union to enable the unfortunates to go to a lower altitude and milder climate, takes place. The miners have been in poor health for some time, and it is expected a change of climate at this time was to make for a lasting benefit so the workmen will once again enjoy the blessings of good health. There will be lots of vaudeville, including dancing, singing and acrobatic stunts. In addition to the above there will be a four-round boxing contest between two well known knights of the mitts and four reels of pictures. The pictures for tonight are as follows: "Money to Burn," an Edison comedy film picture showing a tramp who falls heir to a large sum of money and proceeds to burn it up; "The Unfinished Letter," another Edison comedy picture; "Blacksmith's Love," a Selig drama, and "Rebellious Blossom," a Lubin comedy of a young girl who tries to keep her mother from marrying and gets married herself. Another feature pictures for tonight benefit program is a great Edison drama, entitled "The Surgeon's Temptation." This is a story of a surgeon who falls in love with a pretty girl but the girl loves another. Tomorrow night Rhodes and Engle, comedy acrobats, will open an engagement at the Butler.

HALF A MILLION DOLLARS DAMAGE AS RESULT OF ANOTHER STORM AT CHICAGO

TONOPAH MAN SHIPS ORE FROM BARRETT SPRINGS

A. T. Johnson of this city has just returned from Barrett Springs, near Winnemucca, where he is interested with Al Modene in promising mining property they have been developing and extracting ore from for the past two years. They have just shipped to the smelter at Salt Lake City a carload of ore that will net them \$28 per ton.

The cost of transportation and smelter reduction is about \$18, giving a value to the ore shipment of \$43 per ton.

Mr. Johnson says the Barrett Springs district is certain to become a large producer in the near future.

In the past month many Salt Lake and Eastern mining men have visited the district and made extensive and careful examinations of the different properties now being opened up, and it is expected soon to see much activity in mining at and around Barrett Springs.

On the 1910 claim, Pat Reagan, formerly of Tonopah, has a lease from which he is mining and milling ore that averages \$55 per ton. The ore is a sulphide, and as depth is reached, the ledge widens and the values increase.

DEFINITE ACTION IS EXPECTED SOON IN STRIKE MATTER

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—James W. Kline, president of the International Brotherhood of Blacksmiths and Blacksmiths' Helpers' union, returned yesterday from San Francisco, where he went to attend negotiations between union officials of crafts employed in the shops of the Harriman lines, which abruptly terminated with Kruttschnitt's refusal to recognize the shop employees' federation.

Kline stopped at several cities along the route in order to hear the sentiment of the workers. He said: "I found that sentiment very strongly favored a strike unless the Harriman lines recognized the federation. I expect that some action will be taken in a few days, but cannot say what it will be."

K. OF P'S START WORK ON THEIR NEW CASTLE HALL

This morning work was started on the remodeling and enlarging of Castle hall of Mizpah lodge, No. 25, Knights of Pythias. It is estimated the rebuilding of the hall will cost in the neighborhood of \$3000.

A few fraternal orders have spoken for lodge room rental to fill in the few nights not occupied by the Knights and its auxiliaries. A maple floor, club and banquet rooms will be part of the improvements and the building will be extended to the rear of the lot—25 feet—making a commodious and roomy building when completed.

BOY BURNS HIS BABY SISTER IN BAD MANNER

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Sept. 20.—The burning of the two-year-old child of Charles Friday, a farmer or freddy by her brother, four years old, came to light yesterday. The older child deliberately ignited a small torch and applied it to the clothing of his baby sister. The girl died shortly afterwards. He has repeatedly set fire to furnishings of the house and is possessed of a mania for fire.

Two People Killed and Many Injured By Falling Signs and Trees and Roofs Torn From Buildings During Terrific Rain and Wind Storm.

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—Two persons were killed and many injured by falling signs, trees and roofs during another heavy wind and rain storm which struck Chicago yesterday.

Thomas Matthews, aged 28 years, was found dead in a rain-filled gutter in front of his home. John McPhillips, aged 73 years, was blown over the railing of the basement of his home and killed.

Many basements in the big stores downtown were flooded and much

glass was broken.

On the lake front many ships dragged their anchors, but none were wrecked. A bridge tender's shanty was blown into the lake, but the tender swam ashore safely.

The damage is estimated at half a million dollars.

Five large passenger-carrying steamers were buffeted about before reaching a safe anchorage, and the passengers were panic stricken. The storm came from the north. Wire communication with Wisconsin and Michigan is badly disarranged.

NEVADA SHEEPMEN TESTIFY FOR COMMISSION EXAMINER

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Sept. 20.—An investigation by the Interstate commerce commission into the charges that the rates charged by the railroad companies on wool and hides from the west to the eastern market are unfair, was taken up in this city yesterday by Examiner Ward Prouty.

Sheepmen of Utah, Idaho and Nevada will be among the witnesses to be heard in the case. Following the hearing here testimony will be heard at Phoenix, Arizona, and Portland, Oregon.

At yesterday's session F. M. Adams, traffic manager of the Western Pacific railroad, explained that the rate of one dollar from the Pacific coast to Chicago as against a rate of \$2.13 from Nevada points to Chicago was due to water competition.

J. W. Sommerhays, a shipper of wool, said that he could ship wool from Modene, Utah, to Los Angeles and thence to Chicago at a rate of \$3.95 against a rate of \$2.38 by direct route.

Verdi Visited by Destructive Blaze; Loss Is About \$4000

RENO, Nev., Sept. 20.—Verdi was visited by another mysterious first last night, and for the second time since beginning construction of the power plant for the Truckee River General Electric company, the Stone & Webster company was the loser.

Happily the burned material was fully insured and there will be no delay in replacing the material destroyed, as telegraphic orders for its

replacement have already been sent out.

The fire was doubtless of incendiary origin. It originated at about the center of the pipe and spread in both directions until 400 feet of pipe was destroyed.

This pipe was composed of wood, belted with iron. The loss is estimated at about \$4000. The fire occurred at about 10 o'clock last evening.

Strike Causing Trouble In King Alfonso's Domain

MADRID, Sept. 20.—Martial law has been declared in Spain. This followed reports of violence in connection with workmen's strikes which have been called in various cities to further the government says, a revolutionary plot.

The most serious situation is at Valencia, where a general strike was declared yesterday. The city was at once placed under martial law, and though there was more

or less rioting throughout the day, the authorities had matters pretty well in hand until after dark, when the disturbers vented their fury in an attack on the officials in the adjacent township of Culera. The rioters murdered a judge and wounded other officers of the court which had been engaged in the trial of those who had been arrested earlier in the day. The mob was finally dispersed by the guards from the custom house.

LAI'D TO REST.

All that was mortal of Fred D. Sayers was consigned to mother earth this afternoon in Odd Fellows' cemetery. The funeral was conducted by members of Belmont lodge, No. 24, I. O. O. F. The remains were followed to the grave by a large membership of the order and mourning friends.

BEER IN SQUARE BOXES IS LATEST INNOVATION

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—Beer in square paper boxes, like those used for oysters, ice cream and sauerkraut is the latest market innovation for the benefit of fastidious New Yorkers. The box holds a pint and will retain its shape and remain beer tight for several hours. If allowed to remain too long in the refrigerator, it will collapse.

HUNT'S HIGH-GRADE STORE.

Carpenters are at work putting in shelving and counters for the Hunt's High-Grade store, on the first floor of Elks' hall. The store will have its opening on the 25th inst.

11-MONTHS-OLD CHILD KILLED BY UNKNOWN BOY

CHICAGO, Sept. 20.—Wendell J. Tibbetts, 11 months old, is dead of injuries caused by a boy who has not been found in ten days' search.

Mrs. J. Tibbetts, mother of the baby, on September 7 called a passing boy to watch the go-cart on the front porch while she entered the house to get some toys. The youth pushed the go-cart down the step. The child fell eight feet and its skull was fractured.

DEATH CLAIMS LEADING DIVINE OF NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—The Rev. Dr. Samuel Henderson Virgin, one of the leading divines in the Congregational church, is dead at his home here in his 69th year. He had been pastor of the Pilgrim church in Madison avenue since 1871, although he retired from active work several years ago. For many years he was the chairman of the American Tract society.

Bonanza "want ads" bring quick results. Try one.

SAYS LAND IS VERY RICH AND IS DIRT CHEAP

Henry Schmidt and Ed Wilson returned from Stockton, Cal., this morning, where Mr. Schmidt had been examining the 20 and 30-acre tracts that Mr. Wilson has been disposing of to Tonopah residents.

So well pleased was Mr. Schmidt with the land that he purchased a 20-acre tract. He says the soil is very rich, all ready for the seed, and dirt cheap at \$75 per acre. Henry says he intends to set out several acres in fruit and grapes. That the soil will grow anything planted goes without saying.

There is much land being sold today in California at \$100 and \$150 per acre that will require much leveling and hard labor to prepare it for the seed, while the tracts offered by Mr. Wilson are of a level nature and this year a heavy crop of barley was cut therefrom. Mr. Schmidt says no one can make a mistake in buying one of these tracts, if any are left for sale. The farm that has been cut up is 15 miles southeast of Stockton on the Santa Fe railroad.

Mrs. J. A. Pearson left this morning for Los Angeles, where she will consult a specialist.

IRELAND NOW IN LINE WITH A BIG RAILROAD STRIKE

DUBLIN, Sept. 20.—A general railroad strike was declared in Ireland last night and is spreading. The Great Southern & Western, the Midland Great Western and the Great Northern are all affected and service is generally demoralized.

The men claim some trains are being operated on the main line system in charge of apprentices and clerks. There was some violence.

TAWNEY IS SLATED TO SUCCEED SEN. CARTER

ST. PAUL, Minn., Sept. 20.—It is reported here that former Congressman James Tawney is to succeed the late Senator Thomas H. Carter as head of the international joint commission to settle the boundary dispute.

BIG STRIKE IN MANHATTAN BIG FOUR PROPERTY

A strike was made in the Big Four lease of Poak, Steen and Cicala in the bottom of 300-foot winze below the 300-foot level on Monday morning that now shows eight feet of high-grade ore, assaying \$168.72 per ton. Some of the ore is "lousy" with gold. The ledge in this winze has been increasing daily in values, and should it continue to increase in width in the next 25 feet, it will become the wonder of Manhattan. This has produced in the past eight months about \$200,000, and from present indications will mint a million dollars.

WILL BE BURIED IN CITY OF SACRAMENTO

The remains of Dr. W. L. Berry will be taken to Sacramento on tomorrow morning's train and interred under the auspices of the Sacramento lodge of Elks. Mrs. Berry, wife of the late doctor, is prostrated with grief and considerable anxiety is felt by her Tonopah friends.

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FORMER TONOPAH BASEBALL PLAYER SEVERELY HURT

JOE SEITZ STRUCK ON HEAD BY
PITCHED BALL IN GAME
AT SAN JOSE.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Sept. 20.—Joseph Seitz, a former Eastern league pitcher and now a wealthy Mountain View rancher, is suffering from concussion of the brain as the result of an accident in the seventh inning of a baseball game at Mountain View yesterday. Seitz was hit over the ear by a pitched ball by Ross of St. Mary's college. Seitz had not allowed a hit or a run up to the time of his injury.

Seitz is well-known in the southern part of the state, and for several seasons played ball with the Tonopah team. He has valuable mining property near Tonopah that he worked for several years. He is a graduate of Georgetown university, and played for a season with the Washington American team.

Seitz inherited a fortune at his father's death about two years ago, and shortly afterwards left Tonopah for Mountain View, where he purchased a ranch. He is an enthusiastic baseball player, engaging in the game for the sport that resulted.

Prior to playing with the Tonopah team Seitz played with Goldfield for one season.

LADIES OF REBEKAH HOLD DANCE TONIGHT

Tonight the Ladies of Rebekah hold their grand ball at Miners' Exchange hall. The committees appointed some time ago have worked faithfully to make this the banner event of the Rebekahs. Good music has been procured and the floor is in excellent condition. This, together with beautiful souvenir programs will go far to attract the attention of those who love to trip the light fantastic.

DIED.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Condon passed away this morning in this city. The child was only a few days old.

MAY SUTTON WINS.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 20.—May Sutton easily defeated Miss Lois Moyes, the Canadian champion, in the woman's singles for the Ohio state championship yesterday by 6-0 and 6-2.

BELMONT REACHES HIGHEST PRICE IN LAST FIVE YEARS

On this afternoon's board, Tonopah Belmont stock jumped up to \$7, the highest it has reached since the boom days of Tonopah. It requires no boom these days to advance the market price of Belmont stock. The mine has millions of dollars of ore in sight, and at the present figuring, it would take 10 years to reduce the known ore bodies. Belmont should today have a quotation of \$10 or \$12 a share. The mine is looking better each day and the new mill now under construction is moving along nicely.

WOMAN IN THE CASE.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Sept. 20.—Detectives are working on the theory that there is a woman in the Bank of Montreal case, who secured accurate information regarding its affairs through opening an account. They think the door was opened with a duplicate key and expect to make a capture soon.

ATTENTION, ELKS!

All members of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks are requested to assemble at Elks' hall at 7:45 a. m. (Thursday) morning, to attend the funeral services of our late brother, Dr. W. L. Berry. Services to be held at undertaking parlors of Wanocott and Hall.

W. J. WILSON, Sec.

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